



Reading, Writing, & Recycling

As you head back to school, remember to take your good study habits *and* your good recycling habits with you!

- 🌍 Papers you bring home such as notes, school papers, fliers, etc., can be recycled with mixed paper.
- 🌍 Purchase school supplies with recycled content, especially paper products.
- 🌍 Pack your lunch in a reusable lunch bag and containers to reduce waste and save money.
- 🌍 When choosing a beverage, remember that plastic or glass bottles and aluminum cans can be recycled.
- 🌍 If you don't have recycling at school, talk to your teacher about it. You could apply for a Johnie Forte Jr. grant and do a class project, or even talk to your principal about starting a permanent program! For more information about the Johnie Forte Jr. grant program, call Rosemary Byrne at 703-324-5471.
- 🌍 Ask your teacher to check out the SCRAPbook for classroom resources on recycling and the environment.